

# THE EVENING NEWS.

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BENTON HARBOR, MICH., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1900.

TWO CENTS.

## WILD STORM THIS MORNING

Brought Havoc to Illinois and Indiana.

Many Persons Injured in Collinsville, Ill.

Much Damage Was Done in St. Louis.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Chicago, Feb. 8.—A terrific wind storm, accompanied by rain and lightning, visited western Indiana and eastern Illinois this morning and the story of loss of life and great damage is being received from these sections.

At Collinsville, Ill., a city on the Vandalia railroad, twelve miles east of St. Louis, several houses were destroyed and many persons injured, several of them fatally. Some are dead.

The storm was terrific at St. Louis and great damage was done in that city.

Reports of great damage are coming in from points in western Indiana but the storm center was in the vicinity of Collinsville and St. Louis.

The end of the storm was felt in Benton Harbor. All the damage done here was the blowing down of the smoke stack at the Excelsior bath house. The atmosphere this morning was very warm but the weather rapidly has been growing colder since morning. The barometer was as low as at the time of the Onicora disaster.

## RELIEF FOR LADYSMITH

London Cable Today Says it is Certain Now.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

London, Feb. 8.—A cable received from Spearman's camp today says that General Buller is holding his position and that the relief of Ladysmith is certain.

## 23 DIVORCE CASES.

They Appear in Court Calendar for February Term.

The calendar for the February term of the circuit court which opens next Monday has been issued. The criminal cases will be tried first but as there are only 16 of these cases and some of these will plead guilty upon arraignment it will not take long. Five of the criminal cases are for the violation of the pure food laws in which John W. Deane and Edward Brant will figure as two of the defendants.

In the calendar for this term there are 23 divorce cases which is a pretty good showing for Berrien county.

## MR. FOSTER IS CASHIER.

Warren Carroll Resigns at Farmers and Merchants Bank.

Warren Carroll, who was elected cashier of the Farmers and Merchants bank a few weeks ago, resigned the position yesterday afternoon and Charles Foster was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy. Mr. Foster accepted the position and began work this morning.

Attorney Plummer, who has been a director of the bank for several years, resigned as a member of the board. For some time Mr. Plummer has been contemplating this step but he has been urged to remain. He insisted on being relieved of the duties at yesterday's meeting and Charles Foster was chosen to succeed him.

The Farmers and Merchants bank is the first bank of \$50,000 capital in the United States in point of volume of business. From its start until a few weeks ago Mr. Foster has been cashier of the institution and when the vacancy occurred yesterday it was a compliment to Mr. Foster to be offered the cashiership unanimously.

One of the considerations which caused Mr. Foster to return to the bank that he was given an assistant. In the person of James M. Rose, who has been with the bank for several years, and is an efficient banker. Mr. Carroll will give his entire attention to the business of the Benton Harbor abstract company.

## There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1 cent. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

## THE WEATHER.

Snow tonight and possibly Friday. Severe cold wave with north-west gale.

## HAS APPLIED FOR A CHARTER.

Home Mutual Insurance Company of Benton Harbor.

The members of the Home Mutual insurance company, Benton Harbor's new life insurance company, met last evening at the office of Attorney Ellsworth and arranged for the incorporation of the company. Application for a charter was made by the following incorporators: A. J. Kidd, I. W. Conkey, Edward Brant, Dr. Bostick and George B. Warren.

The incorporators elected the following as trustees for one year: A. J. Kidd, I. W. Conkey, Edward Brant, Dr. Bostick and George B. Warren. The trustees elected the following officers: President, A. J. Kidd; vice president, I. W. Conkey; secretary, Dr. Bostick; treasurer, George B. Warren.

The company has 200 applications for insurance policies with an insurance amounting to \$200,000. The company put up \$1,000 in cash last night, which is necessary in order to secure a charter.

As soon as the charter is granted the company will agree upon the different terms of policy it will issue. The prospects for the company are most flattering.

## TWO BICYCLE MARVELS.

One Weighs 541 Pounds, the Other Is a Lad of Seven, and Both Have Good Records.

Joe Grimes, 541 pounds, and Walter McGrath, 41 pounds, have been caught together by the photographer of Leslie's Weekly, who gained a unique and interesting snap shot. Both Grimes and McGrath are well known to fame. The former, although so heavy, is a traveling salesman. He was once a circus freak, and while with Barnum was called upon to run the engine of one of the special trains. His business is that of an engineer. In his present business capacity he travels the world over, and in a few short years has been around



TWO BICYCLE OPPOSITES.  
(Joe Grimes, 541 Pounds, and Master McGrath, Child Expert.)

the world twice. His experiences would fill a book, for he does not find traveling comfortable work. Grimes is an active wheelman and says he likes the sport, as it aids him to put on flesh. He is anxious to reach the 600-pound mark, and has been very close to that figure on several occasions. He will add ten pounds' weight in a day, and has been known to lose 20 in the same time. Little Walter McGrath is a son of Capt. McGrath, of the Century Wheelmen of Philadelphia. He is a lad of seven, with the strength of a man, for he has ridden a bicycle less than 20 centuries in the company of his father and two years ago, when but five years of age, he rode from Philadelphia to Philadelphia on his wheel. The same summer he toured New York, rode a century on Sunday and rode back the next day. Last summer he rode to New York, then to Philadelphia, and thence across New England to Boston, returning all in the same time. McGrath has been frequently examined by physicians, who pronounce him a marvel of strength, and not at all injured by his hard work.

## A Bad Year for Horses.

Horses are suffering everywhere this year. Pink eye is prevalent in Ireland, horse-sickness in South Africa and in America. Some disease is killing off horses in the northwest at an alarming rate. A veterinary surgeon says the disease is rare, and is caused by eating oats which have been damaged by rust.

## Varying Effects of Frost.

Frost has a variety of effects upon different products. Under the same influence eggs will burst, apples contract and potatoes turn lead.

## Mails for South Africa.

The post-office department sent out the following dispatch to the newspapers this afternoon:

Mails for Beira, South Africa, close at Lorenzo Marques at noon on February 12.

## GOOD WORK GOES ON

Board of Trade Raising More Money.

\$1,000 in Notes Gathered Up Today.

The committee soliciting funds for the factory bonus found many citizens who were ready to give but who could not give on the spur of the moment without inconvenience to themselves. The committee agreed to take the notes of these citizens covering a period of five years to be paid in equal installments six months apart, the first payment to be made July 1.

Chairman Pratt states that he believes that \$4,000 of these notes can be secured. The money will be used to reimburse the board of trade for the \$700 borrowed for the Farwell factory and to secure other industries. The city now has the opportunity for several industries for merely giving a site. Following are the notes received to date:

G. M. Valentine	\$125
S. B. Van Horn	100
P. W. Hall	25
J. W. Lucas & Co.	80
Bassett, Spink & Co.	75
Kidd & Woods	100
A. A. Patterson, Jr.	100
F. H. Ellsworth	50
W. H. Baker	50
Rice & Massey	50
L. L. Merrill	75
I. W. Rifford	50
H. L. Bird	90

The following subscriptions have been received toward the \$310 in cash that Mr. Graham guaranteed the committee could raise:

Charles Foster	\$100
H. L. Bird	10
John J. Kinney	25
Hoadley & Annis	5

Benton Harbor is now on the right track and the board of trade with notes for a few thousand dollars can accomplish a great thing in the next year. There is not a business man but who can afford to take a series of these notes and pay \$20 per year toward the prosperity of the city. The money in the hands of the board of trade is safe. The officers have the faculty for making a dollar go a long ways.

## Epworth League Social.

The Epworth League will give a social tomorrow night at the M. E. parsonage. Light refreshments will be served and a small fee charged. The public is cordially invited to attend.

## GRAIN MARKET.

Following are the prices of grain and provisions on Chicago board of trade today furnished by E. W. Moore & Co., commission brokers:

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close	Yest'y
May	68½	69½	68½	68½	67½
July	69½	69½	69½	69½	67½

Corn—	Open	High	Low	Close	Yest'y
May	33½	34½	33½	33½	33½
July	34½	34½	34½	34½	33½

Oats—	Open	High	Low	Close	Yest'y
May	23½	24½	23½	23½	23½
July	22½	22½	22½	22½	22½

Closing prices on the board today:  
May pork \$11.20 lard \$6.15 ribs \$6.10.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c

Dr. J. A. Jarvis will be located at room 5, the Jones & Senner block, on or after January 1, 1900. 77c

There are more Blickensderfer typewriters used in Benton Harbor than any other. 100c

Old papers for sale at this office.



Ian Maclaren

The famous English author, writing in the North American Review on "The Energy of the American People," says:

"No man writes with his own hand, if he can dictate to a stenographer; no man dictates, if he can telegraph; no man telegraphs, if he can telephone."

If you are a typical, energetic, up-to-date American, you already use the Long Distance Telephone. If not, a word to the wise is sufficient.

Michigan  
Telephone Co.

## If you want to save money

## On your Footwear now is your time...

In order to close out our Box Calf and Kid Leather lined, we will put prices on them that will make them move.



100 pairs of Ladies' Box Calf and Kid Lined Shoes, we offer at..... \$1 98

These are our regular \$2.50 and \$3 lines.

48 pairs Men's Box Calf and Leather Lined, regular \$2.65 shoes, at..... \$1 98



These will not stay on our shelves long at these prices, so come early while we have all sizes.

## A. S. Miles & Co.

113 Pipestone Street...

Our market is stocked with the  
finest of

## Meats Oysters Fish

and

## Poultry..

## J. J. Miller, the meat man

## Michigan Tea and Coffee Company

Telephone 597

Post Office Block

## This week your attention is called to Uncolored Japan Teas

A consignment brought to this country by the Japan Exporting Co.

Packed in 3-pound caddies—for the very finest trade in large cities. Same quality teas being sold by the large retail grocers in Chicago at \$1.25 per pound. We obtained these teas in close out deal and are making prices so cheap that they are within reach of all. We are giving samples to any one who calls for them and as the supply is limited, and you are interested in the best tea ever brought to this city, take a look and be convinced. If the lot is culled out before you get a package it's your fault.

W. D. DOWNEY...



A COMBINED ATTACK

British Apparently Engaged in General Advance Against Boers.

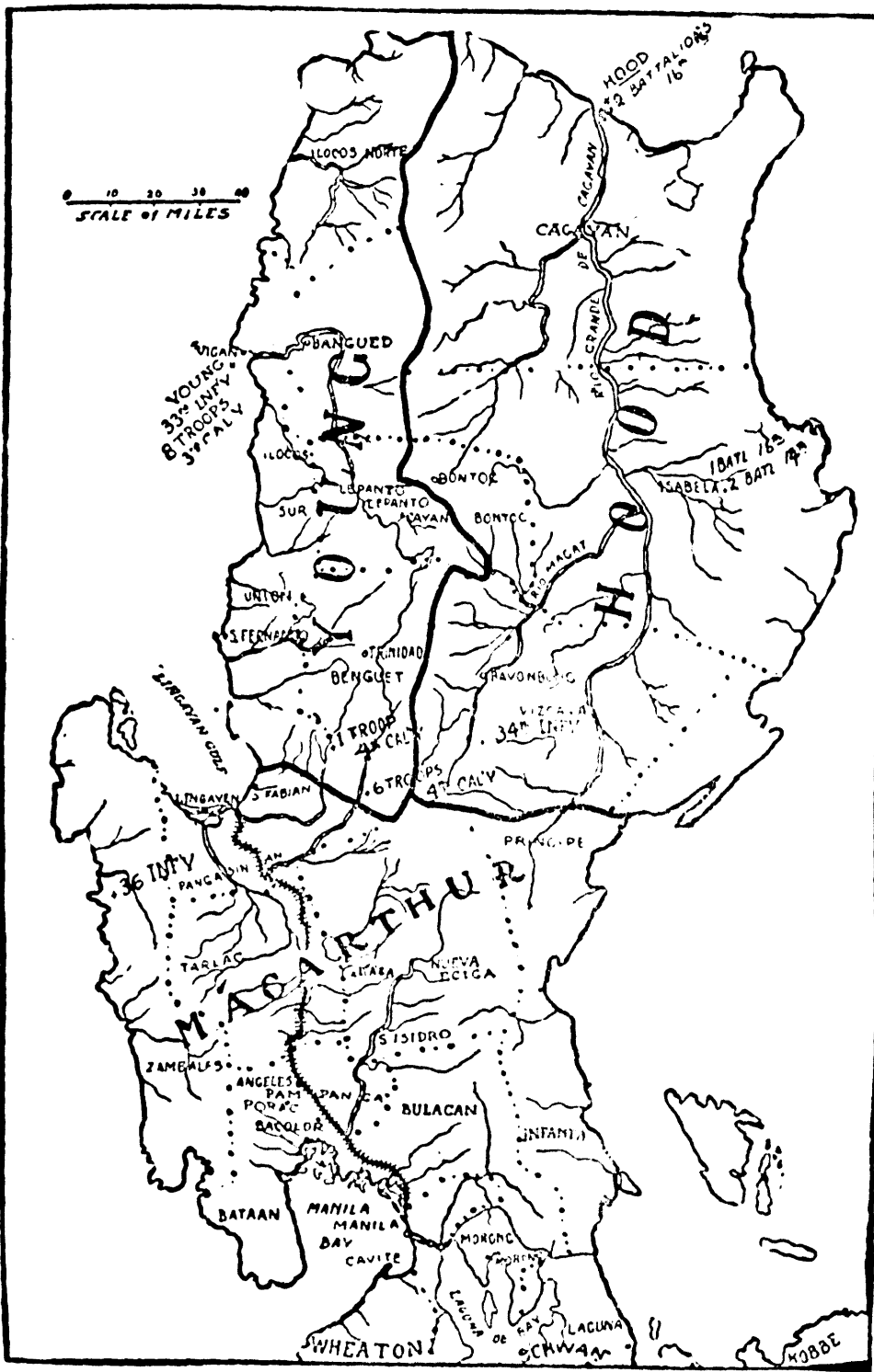
MOVEMENTS OF VARIOUS COMMANDS.

Buller Gains an Advantage After Two Days of Hard Fighting in Which He Is Said to Have Lost 250 Men.

London, Feb. 8.—The British columns are putting themselves in motion in all parts of the South African war field. A combined attack upon the Boers appears to be in progress. Gen. Buller has gained a footing on the plateau north of the Tugela, after two days' hard fighting. On the far western border Lord Methuen has begun a turning movement against the Boer right, while Gen. McDonald threatens the Boer flank, thus relieving the pressure on Lord Methuen's front. Lord Roberts, who, according to an informant in close touch with the war office, is in the middle of the theater of war, has begun the march on Bloemfontein. The Boers have taken the initiative against Gen. Gatacre, attacking two of his positions at Sterkstroom. It really looks as though the general forward movement so long talked of

jected to a severe shell fire. Boers Beaten Back. Yesterday, at four in the afternoon, the enemy, encouraged doubtless by their success at Spion kop, endeavored to recapture the position taken by us at Vaal Krantz. They were beaten back, however, with loss. The work accomplished so far has been magnificently done. The shell and maxim fire poured in by the Boers has been extremely severe, but our losses are, comparatively speaking, small. The Durham light infantry took a few prisoners in the course of their charge. The enemy, as usual, fought with the utmost stubbornness. The British maneuvering and the accuracy of aim on the part of the British artillery during the fighting on Monday were beyond praise. There is not the slightest likelihood that the Boers will succeed in dislodging us from the positions we have gained, and the prospects of the relief of Ladysmith are decidedly hopeful. The Boer Position. "It is said that the Boers suffered very heavily, as their ambulances were hard at work. The Boer position consisted of a line of kopjes, strongly entrenched, extending three miles from Spion kop and curving sharply at the eastern end to the south, about opposite Zwart's kop, which is a steep hill south of the Tugela that the British occupied before the seizure of Potgieter's drift. "The war balloon has proved a most useful adjunct, making ascents daily and getting information as to the Boer positions. The Boers directed a heavy shrapnel fire, in the endeavor to destroy the balloon apparatus." Forced to Recross River. Boer Head Laager, Ladysmith, Feb. 6.—Since yesterday the British, with naval and other guns, have bombarded our positions on the Upper Tugela. The troops crossed the river at the

THE WAR IN THE PHILIPPINES.



Map Showing How the Island of Luzon Has Been Conquered by American Troops and Specifying the Military Districts Already Established.

were in progress. Gen. Buller's third attempt at relieving Ladysmith absorbs attention. Telegrams of 100 and 200 words, from a dozen correspondents, have been passed by the censor, who has apparently redacted messages written Monday or Tuesday to Wednesday at six p. m. From these it is clear that Gen. Buller, up to Tuesday evening, had taken one hill, had repulsed a Boer counter attack, and was holding the position against an enfilading fire from Spion kop and Deurm kloof. His losses, as mentioned by one correspondent, are 250. The only telegram from Boer sources, asserting that one of Gen. Buller's attempts to seize the ford failed, but they admit that he has lodged his guns on a ridge. Light on Gen. Buller's operations, as seen here, the war office not contributing any information.

Story of the Engagement.

London, Feb. 8.—The following is the story of the engagement, as given by the war office, dated February 7: "The force, which was composed of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 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#### WHY THE CITY WON OUT.

Least the impression get out that Benton Harbor secured the Farwell overalls factory simply because it had citizens liberal enough to pay \$9,500, it well to take a look at all the facts.

The John V. Farwell company is not managed by simpletons, neither is the establishment run on sentiment. The Farwell company decided it would manufacture the overalls used by its extensive trade. It invited various cities to offer inducements for the factory. Aurora and Joliet offered \$20,000 in cash and Benton Harbor offered but \$9,500. The company decided to accept \$9,500, when it might have secured \$20,000 in a lump.

Why was it? It was on account of the superior advantages which Benton Harbor offered. The company figured that in ten years it would save more than \$10,500, the difference in the two offers, in freight on its product from the factory to its Chicago warehouses, by locating in Benton Harbor.

If the fact can be impressed upon the Chicago manufacturers that Benton Harbor can save a factory \$1,000 per year in freight rates, when compared with the rates charged from Aurora and Joliet, the future of the city is made.

The full extent of Benton Harbor's enterprise is not yet known. Not only did the citizens in less than a week raise \$9,500 in cash but there were many citizens who did not have the money at hand on so short a notice, and they have given or have agreed to give their notes. Chairman Pratt has \$1,000 of these notes signed at the present time and thinks that several more thousand will be secured. These notes are for five years, and are payable in ten equal installments six months apart.

Hear the Temple Quartette Saturday night.

#### Miss Anthony to Retire.

Washington, Feb. 8.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the National Woman's Suffrage association Wednesday evening, Miss Susan B. Anthony, the venerable president of the association, who is now in her eightieth year, announced in a speech that she would not be a candidate for reelection. She would not, however, give up her work in behalf of woman suffrage. Miss Anthony has held one or another office in the association since 1852. The impression prevails that Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, of New York, will be made president.

#### Victims of Heat.

Buenos Ayres, Feb. 8.—The terrible heat continues. There were 267 sun-strokes on Monday and 187 Tuesday. The fatal cases show a diminution, but numerous bodies are decomposing at the cemetery, owing to the strike of the grave diggers for higher wages. The maize crops are scorched and promise only a small yield.

#### \$100 Reward, \$100.

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#### Big Four Excursions.

Account of Mardi Gras, New Orleans, La., and Mobile, Ala. Big Four will sell tickets February 19 to 26, good returning March 15, at \$25.87 to New Orleans and \$24.87 to Mobile, Ala. To Detroit, Mich. Tickets sold February 20 at morning of February 21. Good returning February 22, one fare. Ann Arbor, Mich. Tickets sold February 26 and 27, good returning March 3. One fare for the round trip. L. G. SMITH, Agent.

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#### Episcopal Social Friday Night.

The ladies of the Episcopal church will give a social at the home of Mrs. P. W. Hall in the sweet block Friday evening, February 8. There will be a short program, also games and refreshments. The public is invited. 109tf



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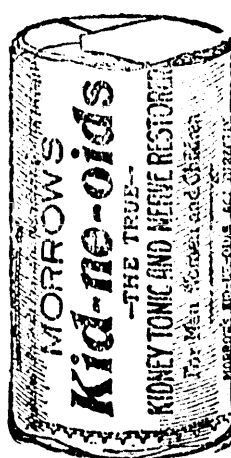
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## OPPOSE THE TREATY

Objection to the Canal Amendment Is Developed.

SENATE MAY MAKE MORE CHANGES.

A Feeling in Some Quarters Favorable to an Abrogation of the Entire Clayton-Bulwer Treaty—Porto Rican Tariff.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The senate committee on foreign relations met Wednesday to consider the Nicaragua canal treaty. The discussion was animated. While some opposition was manifested, it was not of such a character as to indicate the defeat of the treaty; but that it would be amended there seems to be little doubt. One of the amendments proposed is that the whole of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty shall be abrogated. It is said by members of the committee favoring this change that there is no need of keeping alive any portion of the old treaty. Another change suggested is in regard to the protection of the canal. The treaty declares there shall be no fortifications and it is said this will prevent the United States from erecting batteries which are by some considered absolutely necessary in view of the insurrections that occur from time to time in South American countries. It is possible that this language will be modified so that such protection as the United States deems necessary will be afforded along the route of the canal.

#### Work of State Department.

Washington, Feb. 8.—It is learned that the text of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty was the work of the state department, the British government accepted the document just as it was drawn, so the responsibility for whatever is contained in the treaty and the form in which it is expressed is chargeable entirely to the department. Department officials are surprised at the amount of criticism that has been directed against the treaty, but feel confident that it will be consummated, providing it is not amended, especially as to the fortification clause. It is insisted by the officials that an amendment on that point would completely defeat the treaty, and it is intimated that the objection will be twofold; first, from the British government, and, second, from the president himself.

#### Are Not Harmonious.

Washington, Feb. 8.—It developed Wednesday in connection with the Porto Rico tariff bill that the republican majority of the ways and means committee was not unanimous for the measure or for the principle it involved as to the government of territorial acquisitions, and that Representative McCall, republican member of the committee from Massachusetts, had prepared a strong dissenting report.

In other respects the vote was on party lines, all the republican members except Mr. McCall voting for the bill and all the democrats against it. The ways and means committee at its meeting Wednesday reached an understanding that the debate on the Porto Rico tariff bill would begin on the 15th inst. and last one week. The bill was changed in two particular sections, one was amended so that duties on tobacco, subject to an increase in revenue tax, in the United States, shall pay that tax as well as 25 per cent. of the customs duty.

#### Election of Senators.

Washington, Feb. 8.—A minority report has been made to the house on the bill for the election of senators by the people. It concurs with the principle of the bill, but urges direct elections without awaiting legislative approval for a change of system as proposed by the majority. The report states that there is a widespread public demand for the election of senators, in part impelled by a "sense of righteous indignation aroused by accusations of alleged methods sometimes employed by gentlemen whose ambitions lead them to seek a seat in the United States senate." Under such circumstances Messrs. Rucker and Zeigler, who sign the report, say the time has come when the exalted position of United States senator shall not be open to the suspicion of being purchasable.

#### House.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The house finished the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill Wednesday, passing it substantially as it came from the com-

mittee. There was some desultory discussion of the Philippine question and the war in South Africa, the principal feature being the speech of Mr. Skafroth in favor of mediation in the British-Boer war under the provisions of The Hague treaty. The diplomatic bill as passed carries \$3,743,905.

#### Senate.

Washington, Feb. 8.—A lively tilt between Senators Depew (N. Y.) and Pettigrew (Silver rep., S. D.) was the feature in the early proceedings of the senate Wednesday. Senator Depew read a letter from President Schurman, of the Philippine commission, flatly contradicting statements made by Senator Pettigrew in a speech several days ago, and then commented caustically upon the methods of the South Dakota senator in introducing the evidence of such men as President Schurman and Admiral Dewey through the statements of Aguinaldo. Senator Pettigrew replied sharply, repeating much that he has said heretofore, but principally reiterating the statements which had called forth the denials of both President Schurman and Admiral Dewey. Discussion of the financial bill was then resumed, speeches being made by Senators Turner (dem. Wash.), Bate (dem., Tenn.) and Allen (pop., Neb.), all in opposition to the pending measure.

#### AWAIT RESCUE.

Spanish Prisoners Hold Filibuster at Bay Pending Arrival of Americans.

Manila, Feb. 8.—The insurgents have been driven out of Legaspi, on Abay bay, province of Albay.

The rebels of Tayabas province were conveying some 300 Spanish prisoners to Libmanan, and on arriving there the prisoners, exhausted and starved, revolted and dispersed their guards with stones and clubs. They also captured a few rifles and barricaded themselves at Libmanan, where they are awaiting the arrival of American troops.

Washington, Feb. 8.—A cable message was received at the war department from Gen. Otis Wednesday, as follows:

"Manila, Feb. 7.—Escaped Spanish prisoners report they saw Lieut. Stockley a prisoner in the hands of the insurgents January 28 near Antimonan, southern Luzon."

The officer referred to is Second Lieut. Paul D. Stockley, of the Twenty-first infantry, who has been missing from his company since January 12 last at a point near Talisay, Balangas.

#### LOGAN'S FUNERAL.

Services Held Over the Dead Officer at Youngstown—Military Honors Shown.

Youngstown, O., Feb. 8.—Thousands of citizens and people from the surrounding towns and country passed through the vestibule of St. John's Episcopal church Wednesday, where the body of Maj. John A. Logan lay in state, surrounded by military guards. At two o'clock, the casket had been removed to the church and the funeral services began. The beautiful service for the dead of the Episcopal church was read by the rector, Rev. A. L. Fraser, assisted by Bishop Leonard, of Cleveland. The funeral cortege, which was the largest and most imposing ever witnessed in this city, passed through the principal streets, and the interment was made according to the military rites, in the Andrews mausoleum in Oak Hill cemetery.

#### TERRIBLE FIRE IN JAPAN.

Spinning Mill Burned and Thirty-One Girls Perish—Partial Explosion in China.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 8.—From Nagoya, Japan, comes news of a terrible fire January 13 whereby 31 Japanese girls, employed at a spinning mill at Koryumura, Awarai prefecture, were killed. Six were severely wounded and a number more or less injured. There were no fire escapes and the majority of the girls at work on the upper stories were trapped by the flames.

From Hankow comes the story of an explosion which occurred in the gunpowder factory near the Tai Ping gate, killing several hundred people. Not a building was left standing in the vicinity.

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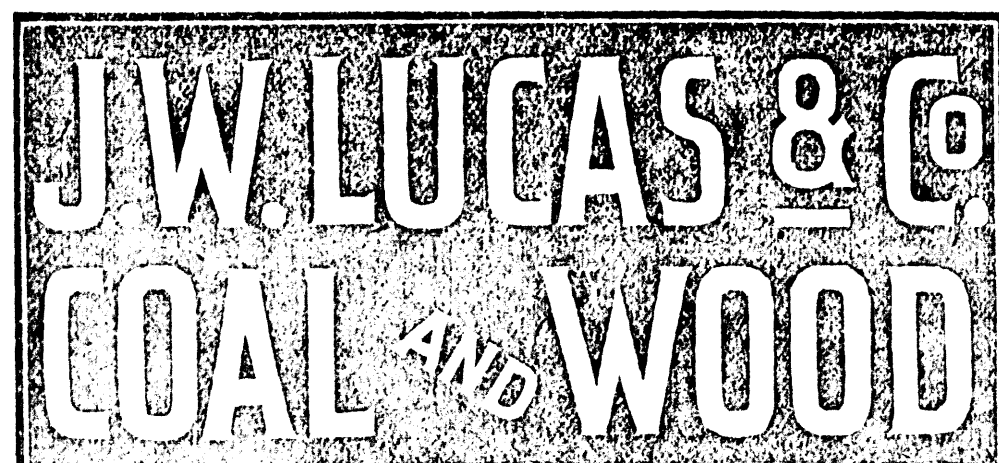
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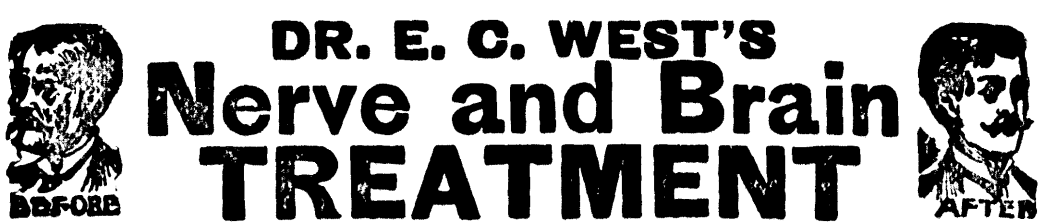
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## SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Dr. Sowers was called to Niles today  
on business.  
J. J. Wright of Bremen, Ind., is  
visiting Dr. and Mrs. N. A. Herring.  
Miss Anna Watson has resumed her  
position at the store Hipp, Enders &  
Avery.

Mr. Smith, the genial clerk at Lowe  
& Witherspoon's, is unable to be at  
the store on account of illness.

C. A. Jackson, superintendent of the  
Metropolitan life insurance company,  
will go to South Bend tomorrow, ac-  
companied by his staff, to attend a dis-  
trict meeting of the company.

About fifteen friends of Mrs. S. B.  
Ellsworth surprised her on Tuesday  
evening, it being her birthday. Mrs.  
Ellsworth was presented with a pretty  
rocker.

Mrs. R. C. Sinsabaugh assisted by  
her daughter, Miss Blanch, entertained  
a number of her friends yesterday, in  
honor of her fortieth birthday. The  
table was very prettily decorated with  
carnations and all was very enjoyable.

On Monday afternoon last, all roads  
led to the residence of Mrs. Ed.  
Nichols, where the Self Culture club  
held its weekly meeting. There was a  
good attendance and the usual program  
was rendered. The current events led  
to an animated discussion in which  
each member took part. As Monday,  
February 12, is the anniversary of the  
birth of Abraham Lincoln, it will be  
observed by the club with a strictly  
Lincoln program. If any member to  
whom a number has been assigned is  
unable to be present, it is earnestly re-  
quested that she will engage another to  
assume her part. Adjourned to meet  
with Mrs. Morrison Brunson avenue,  
next Monday.

The Chautauquans will meet with  
Mrs. W. G. Newland, Brunson avenue,  
tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Home Circle met February 2 at  
the pleasant home of Mrs. E. Brammall  
on Pipestone street and enjoyed a lit-  
erary and musical program. Roll call  
was answered with quotations from  
famous orators. The biography of  
Daniel Webster was read by Mrs. East-  
man, and short sketches of Patrick  
Henry, Edward Everett, Henry Clay  
and Wendell Phillips, were read by  
Mrs. Rowe. Blaine and his policy and  
famous leaders in the house were sub-  
jects for general discussion. The circle  
will meet February 9 with Mrs. Will  
Rowe, 191 High street.

The Ossoli will meet tomorrow with  
Mrs. S. M. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Enders very  
charmingly entertained the employees  
of the Enders & Young department  
store and a number of other friends at  
their home last evening. An elegant  
luncheon was served.

Hear the Temple Quartette Satur-  
day night.

### ST. JOSEPH.

The ice in the river went out this  
morning. At the time the ice started  
several men employed by the Twin  
City ice company was engaged in filling  
their ice house and it was only by  
some swift jumping that they reached  
the shore.

Deputy County Clerk Townsend last  
evening filled his parlor lamp with  
what he supposed to be coal oil but  
which proved to be gasoline. It was  
no mistake on his part, the grocer  
where he ordered oil had sent gasoline.  
When the lamp was lighted the flames  
leaped to the ceiling of the room and  
had they not been discovered a bad fire  
would have been the result.

The federation of pedro clubs give  
their party this evening at the Macca-  
bee hall.

Miss Jennie Jones entertained the  
American Girls at her home on Jones  
street last evening. Progressive pedro  
was the order of the evening and Miss  
Cora Malone and Captain Rob Evans  
carried off the honors. Sandwiches,  
coffee, olives, pickles and lemon ice  
and cake were served.

Any lady wishing to pur-  
chase a spring suit can have  
her measure taken and suit  
made to order. All are in-  
vited to inspect the line at  
Enders & Young's, Saturday  
February 10. A large eastern  
cloak house will display their  
garments consisting of Ladies  
fine tailor made suits, skirts,  
jackets etc. Medium and  
high-priced goods.

W. S. Philpot, Albany, Ga., says:  
"DeWitt's Little Early Risers did me  
more good than any pills I ever took."  
The famous little pills for constipation,  
biliousness and liver and bowel  
troubles. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Misquoted.  
Mr. Fitzharry—Look here, you! I  
hear you said that, intellectually, I was  
a freak.


Mr. Small—Not at all, my dear sir!  
I was misquoted. I said that intel-  
lectually you were a giant.—Puck.

### A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the wid-  
ow of the brave General Burnham of  
Machias, Me., when the doctors said  
she would die from Pneumonia before  
morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln,  
who attended her that fearful night,  
but she begged for Dr. King's New Dis-  
covery, which had more than once  
saved her life, and cured her of Con-  
sumption. After taking, she slept all  
night. Further use entirely cured  
her." This marvellous medicine is  
guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest  
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After completing our Annual Inventory we find that many lines are  
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cents on the dollar on our Regular Low prices. First cost will not be con-  
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OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF ..Children's Suits.. Except Worsteds and Serges WILL GO AS FOLLOWS: All \$5 00 suits, age 3 to 16 yrs. \$3 75 All 4 00 suits, " 3 00 All 3 50 suits, " 2 63 All 3 00 suits, " 2 25 All 2 00 suits, " 1 83 All 2 00 suits, " 1 50		ALL SHORT LOTS OF ..Men's Suits.. Ranging \$10 to \$15 at regular prices, will be sold as follows: All \$10 00 suits at \$7 50 All \$12 50 } suits at \$10 00 13 50 } 15 00 }
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## OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF Men's and Boys' Rubbers, Felt Boots and Lumbermen Wool Boots

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qualities that money can buy at 1-4 off. This brings  
them way below wholesale and ought not to last two  
days at these prices. In addition to this we will include  
our entire stock of Men's Shoes as follows: 100 pairs  
of Men's Fine Shoes, regular price \$3.00 and \$3.50 at  
\$2.00, and any shoe in the house at \$3.00. These are  
the popular make of Burt & Packard Shoes and are  
cheap at regular prices.

Considering our way of doing business, "No Prices Changed" the  
above prices mean something to anyone wishing anything in the above  
line. This sale begins Friday, Feb. 9, and continues until, and inclu-  
ding, Saturday, Feb. 17. Don't miss this opportunity to save money  
on good, reliable goods.

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### HONOLULU IS BEAUTIFUL.

Mrs. J. C. Sesser Writes of Her New  
Home.

Extracts of a letter received from  
Mrs. J. C. Sesser, Honolulu, H. I. for-  
merly Miss Florence George of this  
city, under date of January 22:

"We arrived in Honolulu Wednes-  
day morning, January 17, about 9  
o'clock. Mrs. Thurston, Mrs. Paris  
and Mrs. Edna Reeves Potter came  
out to meet us in a small row boat.

"Honolulu is a very beautiful place.  
There are not so many flowers, but the  
foliage is magnificent. All of the yards  
are filled with palms, coconut trees  
and royal palms, which are beautiful.  
The coconut trees and royal palms  
grow to an enormous height.

"You must not worry about the  
plague, for most of it is confined to the  
China town district, and every precau-  
tion is taken against its spreading.  
There are two inspections a day of  
every house, and when a case is found  
the patient is immediately taken to the  
hospital or pest house, and all the  
property burned down about the in-  
fected premises. Yesterday they started  
to burn a few houses in China town,  
but the fire got beyond control and the  
whole district was burned, about 4500  
Chinese and Japanese being turned out  
homeless. They were frantic for  
awhile, rushing out of burning build-  
ings, only to be met by a guard which  
threatened to kill them if they went  
beyond the bounds, but finally they  
were all corralled and marched through-  
town to the detention hospital. At  
first they were ugly and disposed to  
fight, brandishing their knives about,  
but soldiers and citizens armed with  
guns, axe handles and clubs of all kinds  
stood along the streets, and after a few  
were knocked down the rest went along  
peacefully."

Mr. Sesser writes: "I have now a  
fair idea as to where I will be located.  
Mr. Thurston informs me that I will be  
the engineer on the Pua plantation, at  
Hilo. This is the largest of the kind  
in the islands. It is about twenty miles  
long and eight to twelve miles in  
width. The sugar factory is larger  
than any two factories in Benton Har-  
bor put together. There is a working  
force of 2000 men. It is expected to  
produce 30,000 tons of sugar at the first  
grinding."

### Stood Death Off.

E. B. Munday, a lawyer of Henri-  
etta, Tex., once fooled a grave-digger.  
He says: "My brother was very low  
with malarial fever and jaundice. I  
persuaded him to try Electric Bitters,  
and he was soon much better, but con-  
tinued their use until he was wholly  
cured. I am sure Electric Bitters  
saved his life." This remedy expels  
malaria, kills disease germs and puri-  
fies the blood; aids digestion, regulates  
liver, kidneys and bowels, cures con-  
stipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases,  
kidney troubles, female complaints;  
gives perfect health. Only 50c at Lowe  
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